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MESSAGE TO THE ALUMNI

THE centennial year has passed into history and members of the profession are now looking forward to the future with earnest desire for advancement so that posterity may be as proud of the second century of progress and development as we of the present are justly proud of the first.

The success of all enterprises depends upon the energy, knowledge and ability of leaders and the active support of their followers. The Alumni of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery have an heritage of which they may be proud. To maintain the status of this great and venerable institution, it is necessary for the members of the Alumni to give active support to and maintain a love and loyalty for their Alma Mater.

The National Alumni Association of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, Dental School, University of Maryland, is an active organization. The executive committee meets regularly throughout the year and plans the Spring Activities and the class reunions, aids in publishing the *Journal*, which has a circulation of 4,500 copies, and manages a scholarship fund which it hopes to build into a large, useful sum with which to aid worthy students in obtaining their dental education.

The bills for the annual dues have been sent to each alumnus and it is sincerely hoped that all will mail their three dollars to the treasurer, Dr. Howard Van Natta, Medical Arts Building, Baltimore, so as to receive their membership cards. The task of carrying on the Association activities is much more pleasant when the officers feel that they have the full support of the members.

Class reunions will be held this year in conjunction with the Spring Activities, of which due notice will be given. The classes holding reunions this year will be 1896, 1901, 1906, 1911, 1916, 1921, 1926, 1931, 1936. Your Chairman will communicate with you directly. Plan now to attend; the tentative dates are June 5 and 6.

BRICE M. DORSEY, *President*
National Alumni Association of the
Baltimore College of Dental Surgery,
Dental School, University of Maryland

DR. HENRY WILLIS BAXLEY

ALBERT C. ESKIN, D.D.S.

DOCTOR HENRY WILLIS BAXLEY, one of the members of the original faculty of the first dental college in the world, was born in the city of Baltimore, in June, 1803. His father, George Baxley, distinguished himself in 1814 as one of the citizen defenders of Fort McHenry. He was Baltimore's first Inspector of Flour. Baxley's mother was Mary Merriman Baxley, a direct descendant of the Merriman who came to America with Lord Baltimore.

Henry Willis Baxley was educated at St. Mary's College in Baltimore; and after attending medical lectures at the University of Maryland, he received his medical degree from that institution in 1824. He was a student at the Medical School when Horace Hayden delivered the first lectures on Dentistry.

From 1826 to 1829, he was attending physician of the Baltimore General Dispensary. This institution still functions, with Baxley's nephew, Dr. Henry Minifie Baxley, as President.

During 1831-32, an epidemic of cholera broke out in the Maryland Penitentiary. Baxley, as attending physician, was sent by its Directors to New York to investigate the history and pathology of the disease. His intensive report was published in the newspapers and seems to have given full satisfaction to all concerned. (This report appears in the *American Journal of Medical Science*, 1832, under the title, "Report on the Epidemic Cholera Lately Prevalent in the Maryland Penitentiary.")

Baxley was appointed demonstrator of Anatomy at the University of Maryland in 1834. It was during this association that he incurred the enmity of the mem-

bers of the Medical Faculty because they thought he sided with the Trustees in the differences that arose between the two bodies. His election to the Chair of Anatomy and Physiology led, in 1837, to the division of the school into two Medical Faculties. This case was brought before the Maryland Court of Appeals and is known as the famous "Regents V. Trustees" suit. The court's decision restored the institution to the Regents.

In all probability, the loss of this case was instrumental in diverting the interests of Baxley from the University of Maryland Medical School towards the new Dental College then in the process of formation. In 1840, the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery opened, with Dr. Baxley on its first faculty as Professor of Anatomy and Physiology. However, his association with the Dental College was brief for he resigned from the faculty one year later.

Dr. Baxley was a skilled anatomist, an able teacher and an outstanding surgeon. He was the first surgeon in Baltimore and about the third in the world to operate successfully for the correction of strabismus. Among his operations was the removal of the entire mandible for the treatment of osteosarcoma (reported in 1839).

In 1849-50, he was physician to the Baltimore Almshouse. The following year, he accepted the chair of Anatomy in the Ohio Medical College and moved to Cincinnati. As in Maryland, the medical profession of Ohio referred to Dr. Baxley in highly complimentary terms. The Cincinnati *Lancet* of 1850 spoke of him in this manner: "Dr. H. W. Baxley justly ranks with the ablest teachers in

the United States, being an experienced lecturer and a thorough anatomist."

From 1860 to 1862, as Government Inspector of Hospitals, Dr. Baxley visited the west coast of South America, California, and the Pacific Islands in order to reform consular abuses regarding hospitals. In California, he was the recipient of a flattering offer to accept a chair in the University of the Pacific; it was with great reluctance that he declined. A vigorous Southern sympathizer, it is probable that he feared he might not be comfortable in pro-Union California.

Failing health forced Baxley, in 1865, to seek the congenial Mediterranean climate. Ten years later, greatly enfeebled, and feeling certain that he would never survive another winter, he returned to America that he might be laid at rest among his kindred and friends in his native land. He died in Baltimore on March 13, 1876 at the age of 73.

Besides being a competent surgeon and brilliant lecturer, Baxley was a very prolific author. His subjects are conspicuous because of their diversification, and portions of his writings reflect the existence in his character of a decided tendency towards intolerance. A short list of some of his works establishes the eclectic element of his writings:

- Report on Cholera Epidemic (1832)
- What I Saw on the West Coast of South and North America and the Hawaiian Islands (1865)
- Republican Imperialism Is Not American Liberty
- Spain, Art Remains and Art Realities, Painters, Priests and Princes (1875)

Baxley's intolerance can best be demonstrated by quotations from the pamphlet, "Republican Imperialism Is Not American Liberty": "Better to stand the equal of a free confederate than bow as a slave at the foot of an imperialist. . . We cannot keep too prominently before

us the manifest truth that the present civil conflict is the struggle of the popular principle of government against an attempted enforcement of imperialism. . . The establishment of such a power in America would extinguish all hope of a future destiny of freedom on any part of this western hemisphere."

This forceful and peremptory attitude was likewise thrust upon Baxley's family and friends, who were obliged to accept his decisions as final. His niece, Miss Emily Ralston Baxley, related to me how Dr. Baxley compelled his younger brother, J. Brown, to relinquish his desire to enter the navy in favor of Baxley's desire for him to study pharmacy. Dr. J. Brown Baxley certainly profited by this action because he subsequently became an outstanding man in his field and is remembered at present as organizer of the Maryland College of Pharmacy.

Miss Baxley also described to me her visit to "Uncle Doctor's" office eighty years ago, when she was seven years old. A tonsillectomy was performed on her by Dr. Baxley. She sat on the lap of Baxley's son Claude while "Uncle Doctor" cut her tonsils out. No anesthetic was used, nor was there any sign of sepsis. After the operation Emily and her father *walked* home.

Dr. Baxley's first wife was a Miss Little of Baltimore. They had two children: Claude, who became a physician and served in the Civil War, and Annabella, who died in her youth. His second wife was a Rheman, also a Baltimorean; they had one son, Henry Willis.

Baxley left a large sum of money to the Johns Hopkins Medical School to be used for creating a chair of pathology, which in 1904 was occupied by Dr. William H. Welch, one of the founders of the Hopkins Medical School and Hospital. Baxley probably neglected the University of Maryland because of his unpleasant experiences there in 1837-39.

FACTORS INVOLVED IN THE PLACEMENT OF A GOLD INLAY*

JOHN T. BONHAM, D.D.S.

MUCH research has been done to bring the ideal inlay within the operative scope of every dentist. For replacing lost tooth structure the cast gold inlay method, in the hands of certain operators, is the most effective method known.

The cavity is prepared in the typical Black way, care being taken to see that it is free from undercuts. Cement for the protection of the pulp is indicated where there is deep penetration of decay.

DIRECT METHOD OF IMPRESSION TAKING

Inlay wax manipulations and the technic of wax pattern making are too often described as very simple procedures. From the scientific standpoint, the behavior of inlay wax under varying conditions of temperature, stresses, strain, etc., and its behavior when completely confined, or only partially confined in all types of cavities, make it essential that the operator give due consideration to proper technic of manipulation of wax. The first procedure for the direct method is to select a suitable wax that will meet the requirements of plasticity, rapid hardening, suitable temperature for manipulation, and freedom from flaking.

The wax is softened to working consistency over an open flame, and forced to place in the cavity and held under pressure, while cooling. The type of cavity determines the direction of force to be applied.

The excess of wax is then removed, leaving an approximate form. A strip

of No. 40 gauge steel is placed between the wax and the proximating tooth, covering all margins of the wax impression. A Ward's inlay carver is warmed and carried between the steel matrix band and proximating tooth in the gingival third, pressure being exerted to carry the matrix and wax against the gingival margin. This procedure closes any space between the margin and the wax pattern.

After care has been taken to obtain a pattern that fits as accurately as possible, the next step is the correct procedure of sprueing the inlay pattern. The pattern is washed to remove saliva and blood before investing. In producing accurate dental castings, inlay investments are of no less importance than inlay waxes and their manipulations. After an accurate wax pattern has been obtained, the investing operation must be such that no error develops in making the expanded casting mold.

The physical properties of modern investments that produce volumetric changes are normal and hygroscopic setting expansions, thermal expansions and shrinkage caused by the cooling of the investment. The recommended investing material is cristobalite which, when used in conjunction with control powder, provides for variation in expansion and contraction of the casting.

WAX ELIMINATION

The length of the time for wax elimination varies according to the intensity of

* An abridgement of the prize-winning thesis for June, 1940.

heat, the amount of the investment and the size of the ring. The gold should be melted as quickly as possible with a controlled flame.

SETTING INLAY

No matter how well we prepare the cavity or how good a casting we obtain, if the inlay is not set properly and finished well, the restoration is a failure. Setting

and finishing the inlay include proper contact, occlusion, and contouring.

It is also important to keep the cavity dry by the application of the rubber dam and the sterilization of the cavity. The mixing and handling of the cement, the seating of the inlay, the removal of excess cement, and the final burnishing and polishing of the margins complete the procedure.

CASE REPORT

ABNORMALLY ERUPTED SUPERIOR CENTRAL INCISOR

BRICE M. DORSEY, D.D.S., F.A.C.D.

MALPOSED superior central incisors are not unusual. They are frequently seen in torso-version, in labial displacement or in lingual displacement. It is most unusual, however, to find the central incisor unerupted, but located within the tissues of the lip.

This patient was presented for examination because of the apparent absence of one of the superior central incisors. The child is a colored female, eleven years of age, with all other teeth normally erupting. There was no history

of traumatic injury and the family history was essentially negative.

Clinical examination indicated a malposed superior central incisor located within the upper lip; this was verified by occlusal radiographs.

The treatment consisted of the removal of mucous membrane of the inner surface of the lip so as to expose completely the entire crown of the tooth. The surgery was performed under local anesthesia, using the surgical diathermy. The pressure of the lip is gradually moving the tooth into normal position.



FIG. A. Anterior view showing position of tooth before operation.

FIG. B. Lateral view showing position of tooth before operation.

FIG. C. Anterior view showing exposed tooth immediately after operation.

FIG. D. Lateral view showing exposed tooth immediately after operation.

THE CLARENCE J. GRIEVES LIBRARY FOUNDATION

RECENT ACCESSIONS TO THE LIBRARY

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 Bergey—*Manual of Determinative Bacteriology*, 5th edition, 1939.
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 Bigger—*Handbook of Hygiene*, 1937.
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 Cannon—*The Wisdom of the Body*, 1939.
 Cantarow and Trumper—*Clinical Biochemistry*, 1939.
 Clark—*Applied Pharmacology*, 6th edition, 1938.
The Concise Dictionary of National Biography, 1939.
 Courville—*Untoward Effects of Nitrous Oxide Anesthesia*, 1939.
 Covington—*The Efficient Dental Assistant*, 1939.
 Crane—*Physiology Applied*, 1932.
 DuBois—*Mechanism of Heat Loss and Temperatures Regulation*, 1937.
 Duval—*Le Dentiste de la Jeunesse, ou Moyens d'Avoir les Dents Belles et Bonnes*, 1817.
 Eddy and Dalldorf—*Avitaminoses*, 1938.
 Eggleston—*Essentials of Prescription Writing*, 6th edition, 1938.
 Engelder—*Calculations of Quantitative Analysis*, 1939.
 Flagg—*The Art of Anesthesia*, 1939.
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 Fellows—*Cataloging Rules*, 1926.
 Finney, A—*Surgeon's Life*, 1940.
 Frazer and Stallybrass—*Text-book of Public Health*, 1940.
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 Gershenfeld—*Biological Products*, 1939.
 Gilman (editor)—*Organic Chemistry*, 1938.
 Grollman—*The Adrenals*, 1936.
 Harvey—*Anatomical Studies on the Motion of the Heart and Blood*, 1931.
 Henderson—*Adventure-Respiration; Modes of Asphyxiation and Method of Resuscitation*, 1938.
 Hiscock—*Ways to Community Health Education*, 1939.
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 Howell—*Gross Anatomy*, 1939.
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Index Generalis, 1939.
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 Karsner—*Human Pathology*, 1938.
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 Krueger—*Personal Hygiene*, 1940.
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 Macallum—*A Textbook of Pathology*, 1940.
 Manson—*Tropical Medicine*, 1929.
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- McCall—*Clinical Dental Roentgenology Technic and Interpretation*, 1940.
- McLester—*Nutrition and Diet*, 1939.
- The Merck Index*, 5th edition, 1940.
- Morrey—*Teeth, Health and Appearance*, 1940.
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- Norris and Landis—*Diseases of Chest and Principles of Physical Diagnosis*, 1938.
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- Parfitt and Herbert—*Operative Dental Surgery*, 1939.
- Peters—*Body Water: The Exchange of Fluids in Man*, 1935.
- Ranson—*The Anatomy of the Nervous System*, 1939.
- Robbins—*Cyclopropane Anesthesia*, 1940.
- Rosenau—*Preventive Medicine and Hygiene*, 6th edition, 1935.
- Scudder—*Treatment of Fractures*, 11th edition, 1939.
- Sharp—*Microbiology and Public Health*, 1938.
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- Sollmann—*A Manual of Pharmacology*, 1936.
- Spalteholz—*Atlas of Human Anatomy*, 1935.
- Spease—*Pharmaceutical Mathematics*, 2nd edition, 1938.
- Stitt—*Practical Bacteriology, Blood Work and Animal Parasitology*, 1927.
- Thompson—*Operative and Interpretive Radiodontia*, 1936.
- Todd and Sanford—*Clinical Diagnosis by Laboratory Methods*, 1939.
- Treeves—*Surgical Applied Anatomy*, 10th edition, 1939.
- Tuttle and Knowlton—*An Introduction to Experimental Human Physiology*, 1939.
- Twitmyer and Nathanson—*Correction of Defective Speech*, 1932.
- Tylman—*Crown and Bridge Prosthesis*, 1940.
- Walker and Rose—*Physical Diagnosis*, 1940.
- Werner—*Endocrinology*, 1932.
- Who's Who in Maryland* (including Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, and West Virginia), 1939.
- Wiggers—*Physiology in Health and Disease*, 1937.
- Winton and Bayliss—*Human Physiology*, 1937.
- Wolf—*Endocrinology in Modern Practice*, 1939.
- Wood (editor)—*Orthodontic Directory of the World*, 10th edition, 1938.
- Young, A Surgeon's *Autobiography*, 1940.
- Zinsser—*Textbook of Bacteriology*, 1939.

O. K. U. ANNOUNCEMENT

In compliance with the resolution passed at the last meeting, the supreme chapter office has had prepared a suitable certificate of membership, which is now available to all registered members.

The certificate is approximately 8 x 11 and suitable for framing. The cost is \$1.00 each, including mailing. The certificate will be supplied through the Supreme Chapter office but requests must come through the component chapter secretary and must be accompanied by remittance. The certificates, however, will be mailed direct to members, so please include address.

WILLIAM E. HAHN

Secretary Treasurer, Phi Chapter

University of Maryland

Baltimore, Maryland

ALUMNI NEWS

NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

THE annual Alumni program of activities and reunion dinners was held on May 30 and 31.

The Phi Chapter of the Omicron Kappa Upsilon Fraternity held its annual convocation and banquet at the Lord Baltimore Hotel on the evening of May 30. The honor graduates of 1940 were inducted to membership, together with certain eligible alumni.

The senior prize contests were held on the morning of May 31, following which the annual business meeting was held. The following officers were elected.

Brice M. Dorsey, President, 403 E.

Gittings Avenue, Baltimore.

Sam Shaffer, First Vice-president, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Edward C. Morin, Second Vice-president, 118 Main Street, Pawtucket, R. I.

Francis A. Sauer, Secretary, 4600 Park Heights Avenue, Baltimore.

Howard Van Natta, Treasurer, Medical Arts Building, Baltimore.

Hammond L. Johnston, Historian, 833 Park Avenue, Baltimore.

Robert H. Brotman, Editor, 5801 Park Heights Avenue, Baltimore.

Executive Committee:

Grayson W. Gaver, 1940 Edmondson Avenue, Baltimore, 1941.

Max Baklor, 2201 Eutaw Place, Baltimore, 1941.

W. Buckey Clemson, 101 Tunbridge Road, Baltimore, 1942.

Leonard Davis, 5202 Tilbury Way, Baltimore, 1942.

J. Stevenson Hopkins, Belair, Maryland, 1943.

Adam Bock, 111 Castlewood Road, Baltimore, 1943

Elmer Corey, 3813 Harlem Avenue, Baltimore, 1944.

Albert E. Eskin, 1911 Eutaw Place, Baltimore, 1944.

At 1:30 a luncheon was served to the members of the Senior Class and the visiting Alumni at the Longfellow Hotel, the Faculty acting as host.

The Annual Golf Tournament was held at the Hillendale Country Club. The championship was won by Edward R. Stinebert '39.

In the evening the Alumni-Senior Class Banquet and Dance was held. This most enjoyable occasion was attended by members of the Alumni, the Senior Class and their friends.

The prizes, medals and honors were presented at this time. They were as follows:

University Gold Medal for Scholarship and Magna Cum Laude Certificate: Benjamin Anthony Dabrowski, Maryland.

Certificates of Honor: Bernard Randman (Cum Laude), New York; John Tandy Bonham, West Virginia.

Harry E. Kelsey Award For Professional Demeanor (contributed by former associates of Dr. Kelsey: Drs. Anderson, Devlin and Preis): John Tandy Bonham, West Virginia.

The Alumni Association Gold Medal for Thesis: John Tandy Bonham, West Virginia. Honorable Mention: Theodore Czaplinski, New York.

The Dr. Isaac H. Davis Memorial Medal for Cohesive Gold Filling

(contributed by Dr. Leonard I. Davis): John Tandy Bonham, West Virginia. Honorable Mention: Samuel Goldhaber, New York.

The Albert S. Loewenson Memorial Medal for Full Mouth Operative Restoration (contributed by Mrs. Albert S. Loewenson): Julius Irving Kasawich, New York. Honorable Mention: Benjamin Anthony Dabrowski, Maryland.

The Dr. Alex. H. Paterson Medal for Practical Set of Full Upper and Lower Dentures: Benjamin Anthony Dabrowski, Maryland. Honorable Mention: Bernard Randman, New York.

American Society for Promotion of Dentistry for Children—Certificate of Merit: Bernard Randman, New York.

Keys for Meritorious Work on the *Mirror* Staff (presented by the Student Activity Committee): John Tandy Bonham, West Virginia; Eugene Leo Pessagno, Jr., Maryland; Bernard Randman, New York.

The C. V. Mosby Co. Award of One Year's subscription to *The American Journal of Orthodontics and Oral Surgery*: An Award of Merit for Outstanding Work on the *Mirror*: Eugene Leo Pessagno, Jr., Maryland.

The presentation of awards was followed by a floor show and dancing.

The Commencement Exercises were held the following morning at College Park.

CHARTER DAY BANQUET

The annual Charter Day Banquet was held on January 18, 1941, at the Lord Baltimore Hotel to commemorate the granting of the first Charter to the University of Maryland one hundred and thirty-four years ago. The occasion was attended by twelve hundred alumni and

friends of the University, among whom were about one hundred Dental Alumni.

Dr. T. Ellsworth Ragland of the Pharmacy Alumni was general chairman, it being the Pharmacy School's centennial year. The Hon. Charles Moylan served as toastmaster and brief greetings were extended by Dr. H. Clifton Byrd and Governor Herbert R. O'Connor. Dr. Andrew J. DuMez, Dean of the Pharmacy School, gave a brief history of the School of Pharmacy. Mr. James E. Gheen, a well known humorist, gave a most enjoyable address, which was followed by a floor show and dancing.

THE FACULTY

We have much to be thankful for at the B. C. D. S., and undoubtedly the most important factor of all is our faculty. An institution is rated and judged by the men who associate themselves with it, men who unselfishly give of their time and effort to further the cause of education, and we are indeed fortunate in having a distinguished faculty.

Many new additions and changes in titles have occurred in the faculty during the school year. Five men have given up their practices to devote their full time to the instruction and supervision of school work. Among these men is Dr. J. Ben Robinson, who is now giving his entire time to the deanship. Dr. Aisenberg has also given up his practice to take over the chair of Professor of Dental Pathology, while Dr. G. W. Gaver now occupies the chair of Professor of Clinical Prosthetic Dentistry. Dr. H. B. McCarthy is now our Professor of Clinical Operative Dentistry and Dr. Deems our Assistant Professor of Clinical Oral Pathology.

The new instructors this year are Carl E. Bailey, D.D.S., Instructor in Dental Technics; Max Miller, D.D.S., Instructor in Bacteriology and Pathology; J. Victor

Monke, M.S., Instructor in Physiology; Frank J. Roh, D.D.S., Instructor in Clinical Operative Dentistry; W. Kennedy Waller, A.B., M.D., Instructor in Physical Diagnosis and Principles of Medicine; Morris E. Coberth, D.D.S., Instructor in Clinical Operative Dentistry; Benjamin A. Dabrowski, A.B., D.D.S., Fellow in Oral Roentgenology; Guy A. Everett, B.A., Fellow in Physiology and Physiological Chemistry; Dorsey R. Tipton, D.D.S., Fellow in Oral Surgery; and John H. Wooden, Jr., D.D.S., Fellow in Clinical Operative Dentistry.

The following faculty members are on leaves of absence to further their training in their respective fields: Gordon S. Pugh in Orthodontia at Columbia; and H. Berton McCauley, Jr., in Radiodontics at Rochester.

Dan Cupid tagged three of our instructors early in their teaching careers at B. C. D. S. Dr. Randolph was married to Miss Elizabeth Virginia Bachman on August 3, while Dr. Dabrowski was married September 29 to Miss Ann Gurbelski. Dr. Tipton recently became engaged to Miss Helen Hyle.

On January 1, 1941 Miss Thelma Wiles was appointed Librarian in charge of the Dental and Pharmacy Libraries. Miss Wiles, a graduate of Penn College, received her degree in library science from the University of Michigan. For the past three years she has been on the staff of the General Library at College Park.

FRATERNITIES AND SOCIETIES

OMICRON KAPPA UPSILON

The Psi Chapter of Omicron Kappa Upsilon Fraternity held its annual Banquet and Convocation on May 30, 1940, at the Lord Baltimore Hotel. The occasion was well attended and as usual was

one of the outstanding Commencement activities.

After the banquet, Dr. Paul Deems '28 presented the 1940 graduates, who were then inducted into the fraternity: Benjamin A. Dabrowski, John Tandy Bonham, Eugene Leo Pessagno.

Dr. Brice M. Dorsey '27 presented the following Faculty members for induction: Samuel H. Bryant '32, Meyer Eggnatz '28, Kyrle W. Preis '27, John M. Hyson '27.

The Alumni members were presented by the late Dr. Alexander H. Paterson '11: Walter J. Boydston '00, Frank N. Carroll '15, Ernest H. Hinrichs '25, John J. Kersey '15, Jacob Lazarus '25, Frank L. Lewis '25, J. Otis Miner '05, N. L. Morin '15, J. A. Sinclair '00, William T. Weston '15.

Dr. Hayward H. Streett '99, who had been selected as the Honorary member, was presented by Dr. George M. Anderson '19. The address was delivered by the Hon. Theodore R. McKeldin.

President: Walter L. Oggesen '26.

Vice-president: Brice M. Dorsey '27.
Secretary-Treasurer: William E. Hahn '31.

ALPHA OMEGA ALUMNI

Alpha Omega in Baltimore has been this past year the club of national activity. On December 29, 30 and 31, 1940, the Thirty-Third Annual Alpha Omega Convention was held at the Belvedere Hotel. The Convention was a glorious success and a great tribute to our local chapter. Frater Meyer Eggnatz, as Marshal, was the guiding influence in the Convention's success, and he has been richly rewarded by his election to the post of Chancellor-elect of the national body.

The Alpha Omega Achievement Medal Award was presented last year to Brigadier General Leigh Fairbank. The

award, humbly given and graciously received, leaves us proud indeed.

Local activity moves on now unabated and with a vigor honestly unexpected following the Convention. The larger our group grows, the more compact and integrated it becomes. The spirit and activity of our organization are sources of pride and pleasure to every one of us.

Chancellor: Irvin Golboro.

Chancellor-elect: Jesse Trager.

Quaestor: Al Boro.

Scribe: Morton Goldiner.

Macer: Harold Golton.

Editor: Emanuel Hoffman.

SIGMA EPSILON DELTA ALUMNI

The past year under the able guidance of Master Henry Rostov was a most successful one. During the course of the year the activities were many and varied. Scientifically the chapter had the pleasure of clinics by Dr. Nuttall and Dr. Britowich, and a motion picture on Neal's technique. During the month of March the chapter was host to the rest of the fraternity for our annual convention, which consisted of a most enjoyable social section and a very interesting scientific section. The clinicians were Dr. Kabnick, of New York, on restoring the mouth to complete function, and Dr. Reisner, on the temporomandibular articulation.

On Thanksgiving Eve a party was held at the fraternity house for the grads and their wives. The womens' auxiliary was responsible for the very effective arrangements.

We are looking forward to a most enjoyable year under our new master, "Ike" Koppel, and plans have already been made for various clinics and for a Home Talent Night.

Master: I. Koppel.

Chaplain: M. Gottshel.

Scribe: H. Rostov.

Treasurer: I. Abramson.

Inner Guard: S. Friedman.

Outer Guard: P. Kroser.

Delegate to Grand Council: I. Abramson.

Historian: B. Eskow.

PSI OMEGA ALUMNI

The Oriole Alumni Chapter is enjoying another banner year. The monthly luncheons, at which we average about thirty members, have done much to maintain and stimulate interest.

We are happy to announce that it has been our pleasure to receive Dr. E. Gordon Holbrook into associate membership.

According to custom the election of officers was held in December, with the induction in January. We now have the following men in office:

Grand Master: Elmer F. Corey, '28.

Junior Master: C. L. Inman, '15.

Secretary: Robert D. Swinehart, '37.

Treasurer: L. W. Bimestefer, '34.

Editor: Robert E. Hampson, '36.

THE WOMEN OF PSI OMEGA

The Women of Psi Omega started their fall activities in October with the annual luncheon and bridge given for the wives of Psi Omegas. It was a great success as we welcomed old friends and made many new ones. In November, a dance was held at the Longfellow Club which seemed to be thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

The boys of the active chapter and the Alumni and their wives were guests at a buffet supper given in December to open the holiday season.

To wind up the winter season, one performance of "Mr. Pepys," presented by the Vagabonds, was sponsored by the ladies; there was an overflow audience.

President: Mrs. J. Thomas Nelson.

Vice-president: Mrs. B. Wallace Inman.

Secretary: Mrs. Thomas Hartley.
 Treasurer: Miss Katharine Toomey.
 Members of the Board: Mrs. Elmer
 Corey and Mrs. Leonard Davis.

XI PSI PHI ALUMNI

President: Dr. Kyrle W. Preis.
 Vice-president: Dr. John M. Hyson.
 Secretary-treasurer: Dr. Filbert L.
 Moore.
 Editor: Dr. Hugh T. Hicks.

XI PSI PHI WOMEN'S CLUB

The Club has enjoyed a year of progress. Definite strides have been made in an effort to add to the comforts and pleasures of the undergraduate chapter. Mrs. Julia Brownell opened a house this fall at 1829 Bolton Street, where the boys hold their meetings. Mrs. Brownell is an active member of the Club. Under her supervision and efficient guidance, the members have enjoyed the privileges of a home.

The regular meetings of the Club are held on the first Wednesday of each month. Luncheon is served at the house and the meetings follow.

An outstanding event of the year was an open house on November 17 which was well attended by fraternity members and guests.

Mrs. Coberth and Mrs. Young were hostesses at a dessert bridge for the benefit of the club on October 22.

A Christmas dinner party for members of the chapter and their guests was acclaimed a highlight of the holiday season.

A bridge party held on February 15 and a dance in the spring close the year's activities.

President: Mrs. Richard C. Leonard.
 Vice-president: Mrs. Vernon B. Ames.
 Recording Secretary: Mrs. Thomas D.
 McLeod.

Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. Filbert
 L. Moore.

Treasurer: Mrs. Walter L. Oggesen.

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND BIOLOGICAL SOCIETY

The Society had its annual business meeting on November 26, 1941, in Gordon Wilson Memorial Hall, University Hospital. The following officers and council members were elected for the coming year:

President: Dr. Thomas C. Grubb,
 Pharmacy School.

Secretary: Dr. R. H. Oster, Medical
 School.

Treasurer: Dr. M. W. McCrea, Dental
 School.

Council: Dr. H. Boyd Wylie, Medical
 School; Dr. Walter H. Hartung,
 Pharmacy School; Dr. Edward C.
 Dobbs, Dental School; and Dr. C.
 Jelleff Carr, Medical School.

Secretarial Representative at College
 Park; Dr. Ronald Bamford, Col-
 lege of Arts and Sciences.

At the last program meeting Dr.
 William E. Hahn, Department of Anat-
 omy, School of Dentistry, presented a
 paper on "The Transplantation of Tooth
 Germs."

All program meetings are open to the
 public. The members of the Dental
 School faculty and students are invited
 to attend the meetings or to participate
 as guest speakers.

THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR DENTAL RESEARCH

The I. A. D. R. will hold its Spring
 meeting in St. Louis in March. Several
 members of the Dental School faculty
 are planning to attend.

The roster of this organization in-
 cludes the following faculty members:
 Myron S. Aisenberg, William Hahn,
 M. W. McCrea, Edward C. Dobbs, G.
 M. Anderson, Harold Golton, and J.
 Ben Robinson.

Dr. M. W. McCrea is circulation
 manager of the association's publication;
 he is assisted by Dr. M. S. Aisenberg.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE

The winter meeting of the A. A. A. S. was held in Philadelphia during the Christmas vacation period. The following faculty members belong to this organization: M. W. McCrea, Myron S. Aisenberg, William Hahn, Edward C. Dobbs, and J. Ben Robinson.

AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION

The National Formulary Committee of the American Pharmaceutical Association has appointed Edward C. Dobbs, Department of Pharmacology, Dental School, University of Maryland, as an American Dental Association representative to the associate Committee on Dental Preparations of the National Formulary Committee. The appointment was confirmed by Dr. Merritt, of the American Dental Association.

The A. Ph. A. will hold its 89th annual convention in Detroit on August 17 to 23, 1941. All members of the American Dental Association are invited.

PERSONALS

Dr. Richard Edgeworth Richardson '37 married Geneve Marie Cooper on May 16, 1940.

Dr. Balthis Allen Browning '25 was married to Katharine Dukehart on June 17, 1940.

Dr. Harold Edwin Plaster '39 was married to Helen Spaugh on July 5, 1940.

Dr. Kenneth V. Randolph '39 married Elizabeth Virginia Bachman on August 3, 1940.

Dr. Andrew John Hanlon '34 was married to Hilda Ethel Brittingham on August 19, 1940.

Dr. Roland Paul Leahy '36 married Margaret Elizabeth Hoey on September 16, 1940.

Dr. Benjamin A. Dabrowski '40 was married to Ann Gurbelski on September 29, 1940.

Dr. William Charles Christopher Philpot '36 married Marian Elizabeth Westwater on October 14, 1940.

Judith Lee Holter, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Paul W. Holter '33, was born on September 5, 1940.

Joan Marie Corthouts, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James L. Corthouts '36, was born June 3, 1940.

Anthony Eugene Curcio, son of Dr. and Mrs. Emil L. Curcio '35, was born August 2, 1940.

Kathryn Barbeth Schilling, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Schilling '35, was born on October 21, 1940.

Dr. Samuel Lopatin '25 was elected President of the Worcester District Dental Society.

OBITUARY

Thomas J. Kenney (B. M. C. 1905), of Boston, Mass., died April 25, 1940.

C. E. Westwood (B. C. D. S. 1905), of Sioux City, Iowa, died May 14, 1940.

George J. Buckley (B. M. C. 1908), of Schenectady, N. Y., died May 6, 1940.

Charles E. Dellinger (B. C. D. S. 1901), of Westernport, Md., died June 8, 1940.

D. E. Healey (U. of Md. 1911), of Dundalk, Md., died September 1, 1940.

J. R. Short (U. of Md. 1924), of Huntington, W. Va., died October 20, 1940.

Adin W. Taft (U. of Md. 1901), of Providence, R. I., died September 15, 1940.

L. Raoul LaFond (B. C. D. S. 1899), of Lewiston, Maine, died July 20, 1940.

J. Hartwell Smith (B. C. D. S. 1892), of Waynesboro, Va., died November 1940.

Wm. Lee Davidson (U. of Md. 1911), of Chester, S. C., died December 3, 1940.

In Memoriam

WILLARD M. HILLEGEIST

ON JUNE 2, 1940, the students and faculty of the University of Maryland lost one of their most highly esteemed associates, Mr. Willard M. Hillegeist, Director of Admissions. Mr. Hillegeist, a native of Baltimore, received his high school education at the Polytechnic Institute. Following his graduation in 1912 from the old Maryland Agricultural College, he undertook practical agricultural work for one year. He then returned to the College as secretary to Dr. H. J. Patterson, President.

Two years later, he organized the Home Study Department and acted as its secretary. During the World War, Mr. Hillegeist left the University to do special detail work for the United States Department of Agriculture.

After an absence of one year, he returned to College Park to reorganize the registrar's office and take charge of that department of the university. After the consolidation of the University of Maryland and the Maryland Agricultural College, he organized the Registrar's office for the Baltimore schools; and, in 1921, he moved to Baltimore to work with the professional schools.

When Dr. H. C. Byrd created the office of Director of Admissions, in 1936, he called upon Mr. Hillegeist to organize and head this department. He held this position up to the time of his death.

Mr. Hillegeist had many interests aside from his active work at the University. He was a co-organizer and president of the Maryland branch of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars. He was a charter member and the first secretary of the Lions Club International of Baltimore, an alumnus of Kappa Alpha fraternity, and an honorary member of Pi Delta Epsilon, journalistic fraternity.

Mr. Hillegeist's sincerity and cheerful nature served him well in the position he held. As Director of Admissions, he was able to help overcome the feeling of strangeness and helplessness known to all incoming freshmen. His friendly greeting and helpful suggestions caused him to be affectionately known by the students as "Hillie." All of the students who met him when they entered the school will remember the extent to which he added personality to the strange environment of a building in downtown Baltimore.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

FIRST PREDENTAL CLASS

BE IT known that the handsome body of predental students known as the class of '46 is already realizing its high ideals. We, the lads of '46, now wish to express our deep gratitude to the members of the faculty and to all others who have mitigated our task of becoming adjusted to the University life.

Our aim is to establish many new precedents. The first step we are taking is to establish a bowling league in which most of the 29 members of the class will participate. At present our social committee is busy with plans for a class dance, to be held in the near future.

Scholastically the class shows much improvement, despite a slow start which is characteristic of all freshman classes in college. Most difficulty is experienced with inorganic chemistry and English. However difficult these subjects may be, it is predicted by those who should know, namely the students, that the class of '46 will be successful in its endeavors, and will undoubtedly be long remembered in the history of the School.

President: H. W. Dressel, Catonsville, Md.

Vice-president: R. Gigliotti, New London, Conn.

Secretary: F. E. Peterson, Wood-Ridge, N. J.

Treasurer: J. G. Barry, New London, Conn.

Sergeant-at-arms: C. R. Glowacz, Bloomfield, N. J.

Historian: J. E. Markel, Baltimore.

Student Representative: E. E. Flesher, Towson, Md.

SECOND PREDENTAL CASE

The best laugh of the term was Mr. Foley's off-the-record imitation of a jitterbug in action. We note that our "sideburn" classmate, Pitruzzella, has added a moustache to his collection. (Note: If Pit doesn't eliminate those sideburns by the end of this year, there is a committee in force that will!) Herby Flitton has now so coordinated his muscles that he can hang by his feet and play a swift game of ping-pong. Herb's red-plaid shirt is dazzling, too. Several of our boys still believe that the Green Knight's wife gave her corset to Sir Gawain. We all expect Louis Gare to start shaving soon—if a change of voice is any indication. Wilson is determined that the German "ich" is only an "itch." It is hard to believe that Conner and M. Gordon actually tutor in physics. Hoffman is making another excellent set of clay caricatures for the 1941 *Mirror*.

Our class has been increased by several transfer students: Robert Blackler of Ruxton, Md., Loyola College, St. Johns, and the University of New Hampshire, who is a whiz with a cue; Edward Cullen of Baltimore, University of Pittsburg and Western Maryland; Stanley Garland of Baltimore, University of Virginia and Johns Hopkins; Larry Olsen of Newark, Wayne University; Al Paulsen of New Haven, Conn., Loyola College; Russell Smyth of Hingham, Mass., St. Lawrence University; Jerome Steiner of Baltimore, Johns Hopkins; Earl Weiner of Baltimore, the School of Pharmacy; Jacque Wills of Baltimore, College Park; Edward Wilson of Salisbury, Md., State Teachers College; and Murray Yavner

of Roxbury, Mass., Massachusetts State. We are happy to have these new fellows in our class, and we hope we shall all be together when we finally attain our ambition.

FRESHMAN CLASS

Among the 86 members of our class, there are 23 men who possess baccalaureate degrees and 19 others who have more than the required two years of collegiate training. Yet, the average age of the class is comparatively low—21.16 years. In the geographical distribution of the freshmen, 12 states and the District of Columbia are represented.

The following are the undergraduate schools formerly attended by members of our class: Maryland, New York, Loyola, West Virginia, Seton Hall, Brooklyn, Ohio, Johns Hopkins, Villanova, City of New York, Long Island, Ohio State, Rutgers, North Carolina, Muskingum, West Virginia Wesleyan, Vermont, Alabama, Cornell, Connecticut, Tufts, Union, Rhode Island, Lafayette, George Washington, Michigan State, Upsala, Wake Forest, Muhlenberg, Kentucky, Glenville State and Texas.

Even though our scholastic activities have thus far been more than arduous, we took time out for the Dental School Dance on November 2. However, the most memorable "social" diversion of these first few months was the Dance of the Seven Veils executed by Dr. Hahn in his inimitable manner. The assisting danseuse was Ballerina Camp.

President: John F. Cremens, Paterson, N. J.

Vice-president: Herbert A. Krasner, Newark, N. J.

Secretary: H. Robert Hart, Kingwood, W. Va.

Treasurer: Bernard S. Lavine, Trenton, N. J.

Sergeant-at-arms: Philip J. Zeender, New Haven, Conn.

Historian: Robert J. Bruckner, Union City, N. J.

Student Representative: Robert Smith, Harrington, Del.

SOPHOMORE CLASS

At long last we are relieved of that tension which characterizes the Freshman year and we now see beautiful visions of clinic chairs and white gowns, with Dr. Latcham hovering in the background. We wonder as to our reaction to our first patient, and his reaction to us; and we can now visualize ourselves as professional men.

In general the atmosphere is rather pleasant this year. The instructors seem to be more friendly; we experience less difficulty in correlating our various courses than was the case last year. The former competitive spirit is somewhat dulled, but has been replaced by the students' desire to learn for the sake of acquiring knowledge rather than for abstract grades. We think that this is a more wholesome attitude.

Our class was very well represented at the School dance, which was one of the most enjoyable "mixers" that we have attended. We are looking forward with enthusiasm to our own class dance in the spring.

President: Donald Russell, Basking Ridge, N. J.

Vice-president: Sidney Sucoll, Hartford, Conn.

Secretary: John O'Meara, Torrington, Conn.

Treasurer: Joseph Klein, Bronx, N. Y.

Sergeant-at-arms: Jack Bryce, Florence, S. C.

Student Representative: Riley Spoon, Winston-Salem, N. C.

JUNIOR CLASS

By this time the novelty of clinic work has worn off and the great rush for "points" is on in dead earnest. A good many of the class started their Infirmary work last summer; and now procuring points doesn't seem to be their greatest worry.

A great desire to enter the sea of matrimony has been evident among several members. It is rumored that Peter Cacarro, Paul Edwards, and Julius Powell are no longer bachelors.—Or is that putting it too mildly? Congratulations, boys! We wish also to congratulate Hans Wiese, married for several years, on the addition of a third baby girl.

It is with a feeling of pride that we announce that over half the members of the class were fortunate enough to receive bids to the Gorgas Odontological Society in November.

The class assembled with the seniors in December to hear Dr. Edward H. Hume, M.D., of New York City, give an address on the National Christian Mission. He was introduced by Dr. Robinson.

President: D. Towson, Dundalk, Md.
Vice-president: I. Katz, Ellenville, N. Y.

Secretary: R. Williamson, Baltimore.
Treasurer: N. Nathanson, Millis, Mass.

Historian: S. Rogoff, Nutley, N. J.

Sergeant-at-arms: W. Corder, Clarksburg, W. Va.

Student Representative: A. Amatrudo, New Haven, Conn.

SENIOR CLASS

By now every member of the Senior Class is in full swing trying to obtain the goal of having every senior requirement completed as soon as possible. Those members who were fortunate

enough to be able to spend the past summer doing clinical work present a proud countenance, but it is our sincere hope that every member will be riding high at the conclusion of the school year.

As yet the date for the class dance has not been decided upon, but the affair is being looked forward to with great interest.

It has been noticed that E. C. Hewitt is always rather late leaving school in the evening, as a matter of fact not until the Exodontia Department is closed.

The class, upon the suggestion of Donald Frey, presented the Welfare Board with a large Christmas basket again this year for distribution to a needy family. Our class has been unique in that it is the only class to donate to the cause throughout the six years. We do hope that the other classes will carry on where we have left off.

President: John Toffie, Bergenfield, N. J.

Vice-president: M. Singer, Bridgeport, Conn.

Secretary: F. A. Marano, Newark, N. J.

Treasurer: J. I. Zeger, Port Jervis, N. Y.

Sergeant-at-arms: E. P. McDaniel, Jr., Jarrettsville, Md.

Historian: J. C. Dembo, Norwich, Conn.

Student Representative: W. D. Haggerty, Jr., Ridgewood, N. J.

THE FRATERNITIES

ALPHA OMEGA, ZETA MU CHAPTER

September 26, 1940, marked the beginning of the thirty-first year of our chapter. Heralding the opening of the regular session of school, a highly successful and enjoyable smoker was held at the fraternity house on Eutaw Place. Approximately 125 alumni, fraters, pledges and guests were present. The annual

Hallowe'en Dance brought many of the alumni back to their old haunts.

A lecture and demonstration by Dr. Douglas Browning on the subject of "Inlay Technique" was received with a great deal of enthusiasm. Dr. Marion McCrea gave an exceedingly interesting talk on "Granulomata." Following this lecture there was an open discussion.

On the evening before Thanksgiving, Dr. Grempler of the faculty gave an interesting lecture on "Amalgam." This was followed by descriptive slides and moving pictures. Many prominent alumni were present, and the discussion which followed was actively supported. This forum completed an evening well spent on an excellently presented subject.

Indicative indeed of the progress and success of Zeta Mu was the pledging of 34 men, 28 of the freshman class. The Pledge Dance was held in November. Again the space of the chapter house was taxed to capacity.

The year 1940 was ushered out with the National Convention of the Alpha Omega in Baltimore, which took place December 29, 30, and 31, with headquarters at the Hotel Belvedere. Prominent among the alumni was our own Dr. Myron Aisenberg, recently appointed professor of Dental Pathology. The December issue of the *Alpha Omegan* paid due honor to this scholar and gentleman.

Of note was the award of the Alpha Omega Achievement medal to General L. C. Fairbank of the U. S. Army Dental Corps. It was a distinction befitting a man who has brought dentistry great laurels, and who has performed a great service to his country.

Interesting sidelights include the new laboratory in the chapter house, built by the fraters themselves. It includes hot and cold running water, casting ma-

chines, compressed air, and numerous other facilities.

There are seventeen fraters living at the house. The rooms are very comfortable and well furnished and the reception rooms are adorned in an impressive manner.

Dr. Will Kress was elected praetor for the fourth time. His ever increasing interest and unselfish efforts in behalf of the men of the fraternity are well appreciated.

Chancellor: S. Hyman, Vineland, N. J.
Vice-chancellor: M. Eilenberg, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Quaestor: J. Klein Brout, New York.
Scribe: H. Hauss, New London, Conn.
Historian: C. Mass, Hartford, Conn.
Macer: M. Yalovitz, Anniston, Ala.
Housemen: S. Sucoll, Hartford, Conn.,
and M. Robinson, Newburgh, N. Y.

SIGMA EPSILON DELTA, EPSILON CHAPTER

All fifty-four SED men returned this September eager to begin the new year. Over the summer months the house was redecorated; the laboratory, with its facilities greatly augmented, was entirely renovated, and a new recreation room was constructed.

Early in October, the year was formally opened at our annual smoker, an exceptionally well attended affair which proved to be most successful.

Once begun, the many fraternity affairs planned for the year quickly unfolded. Due mainly to the efforts of our active speakers committee, we were fortunate to have lectures by Doctors Dorsey and D. Browning. Both proved most interesting and valuable to the many who attended.

The newly decorated house was enthusiastically received by the fraters. As a result many successful house dances and parties have been held. Worthy of special mention was the Hallowe'en

dance, and an affair commemorating the induction of twelve of our members into the Gorgas Society.

Master: A Herschaft, New York.

Chaplain: L. Lichtenstein, New York.

Secretary: D. Bytovetski, Providence, R. I.

Treasurer: M. Rosenfeld, Bronx, N. Y.

Historian: H. Schwartz, Belle Harbor, N. Y.

Inner Guard: A. Schechter, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Outer Guard: J. Seides, New York.

XI PSI PHI, ETA CHAPTER

This year, for the first time in several years, Xi Psi Phi is enjoying a frat house. For a long time the members have considered that while a house was a great asset in many ways, it carried with it a financial burden which men going through a professional course such as Dentistry, could not afford to bear. In the fall when we came back from our summer vacation we found a house waiting for us. The Xi Psi Phi Women's Club had picked it out and furnished it for us. They had arranged financial affairs so that by our out-of-town members living in, we take care of the financial end and leave the house self-supporting. For the kind efforts of the Xi Psi Phi Women's Club we are very much indebted.

On November 1, we took in three new members during our formal and informal initiations: King, Williams, and Libbey. On November 19 we had a general open house. During this time many of the professors and friends of the Zips stopped in to look over the house.

President: Malcolm Parker, Freehold, N. J.

Secretary: J. Govane McClees, Baltimore.

Treasurer: Ronald Lawrence, Elk Mills, Md.

Editor: Carl Schultheis, Baltimore.

Master of Ceremonies: Chet Ralph, Keyport, N. J.

Toastmaster: D. Bixby, Jamestown, N. Y.

PSI OMEGA, ALPHA CHAPTER

Grand Master: S. Everson.

Junior Grand Master: M. Wilkerson.

Treasurer: G. Steele.

House Manager: A. Pecoraro.

Chief Inquisitor: A. Carey.

Chaplain: W. Corder.

Pledge Master: A. Lazauskas.

Historian: G. DeYoung.

Editor: S. Biega.

Outside Guardian: J. Emburgia.

Inside Guardian: J. Criss.

Senator: J. B. Powell.

GORGAS ODONTOLOGICAL SOCIETY

The Society held its first banquet and dance of the year in the main ballroom of the Emerson Hotel on December 13, 1940. At the banquet the newly elected members of Gorgas were inducted into the Society.

The toastmaster was Dr. J. Ben Robinson, D.D.S., F.A.C.D., and the speaker was Judge Charles E. Moylan, who spoke on "The Thoroughbreds." The presentation of keys was made by Dr. Timothy O. Heatwole, M.D., D.D.S., D.Sc.

The officers of the society are:

President: John S. Callaway.

Vice-president: Edward Bressman.

Secretary: John W. Toffie.

Treasurer: Abraham Gudwin.

Sergeant-at-arms: Edward A. Mishkin.

Honorary President: Dr. J. Ben Robinson.

Because the general scholastic average of the student body has steadily risen, it was decided at an early meeting this year to adopt a new ruling regarding eligibility to the Society. Hereafter those in the upper 40 per cent of the

Junior Class become eligible for the Society; however, if a student at the beginning of his Senior year raises his marks so that he gets into the upper 40 per cent, he will become eligible to the Society.

Initiates

Seniors: E. L. Bohne, Bergenfield, N. J.; A. Chernow, Brooklyn, N. Y.; J. C. Dembo, Norwich, Conn.; D. L. Farrell, Norwich, Conn.; E. C. Hewitt, Baltimore; H. Hyman, Brooklyn, N. Y. and F. A. Marano, Newark, N. J.

Juniors: C. F. Askins, New York; S. P. Cohen, Baltimore; J. T. Coroso, Jr., Hartford, Conn.; P. Deneroff, New York; P. M. Edwards, Dundalk, Md.; M. Eilenberg, Brooklyn, N. Y.; S. Entelis, Bronx, N. Y.; S. Everson, Washington, D. C.; C. Gibel, Brooklyn, N. Y.; R. H. Goldstein, Huntington, W. Va.; A. H. Herman, East Orange, N. J.; A. Herschaft, New York; S. G. Hyman, Vineland, N. J.; I. G. Katz, Ellenville, N. Y.; S. L. King, Mt. Nebo, W. Va.; S. Koppelman, New York; H. R. Lasch, New Britain, Conn.; A. P. Lazauskas, Baltimore; L. Lichtenstein, Bronx, N. Y.; V. W. Mintz, Newark, N. J.; J. E. Munoz, Salinas, Puerto Rico; L. L. Murzin, Har-

risburg, Pa.; N. R. Nathanson, Millis, Mass.; M. Nussbaum, Bronx, N. Y.; D. S. Rakosky, New London, Conn.; C. B. Ralph, Keyport, N. J.; J. R. Reynolds, Providence, R. I.; S. Rogoff, Nutley, N. J.; A. H. Savage, Baltimore; H. Schwartz, Belle Harbor, N. Y.; G. D. Steele, Dagsboro, Del.; C. J. Stoopack, Brooklyn, N. Y.; J. M. Tighe, Baltimore; L. C. Toomey, Elkridge, Md.; Miss R. I. Toubman, Hartford, Conn.; D. H. Towson, Dundalk, Md.; E. B. Waltman, Steubenville, Ohio; E. H. Watson, Henderson, N. C.; R. E. Williams, Newport News, Va.; and R. S. Williamson, Baltimore.

DENTAL SCHOOL DANCE

On November 2, 1940, the Dental and Predental classes held their annual "Mixer-Dance." This year, as in previous years, the dance was held in the Maryland Casualty Building. Practically the entire registration of the School was present. Many faculty members and their wives also attended. The music was supplied by the "Courtiers," a thirteen-piece band led by Norval Smith, a student in the second predental class. This year's dance was undoubtedly the most successful of the series.

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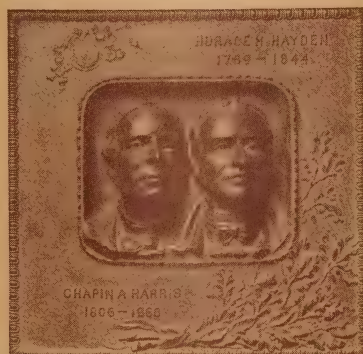
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MESSAGE TO THE ALUMNI

THE National Alumni Association and the Faculty of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, Dental School, University of Maryland, are again presenting the program for the Alumni Meeting and Commencement Activities. For many years it has been the custom for the Alumni to gather in Baltimore during Commencement Week to celebrate with their classmates and friends by visiting their School and the scenes of their student days.

The program for this occasion, which appears elsewhere in the JOURNAL, includes a splendid group of scientific lectures, the annual Golf Tournament, and the Trapshooting event. Time has been allowed for visiting the School and for registration.

There will be reunions for the classes of 1901, 1906, 1911, 1916, 1921, 1926, 1931 and 1936. Reunion Chairmen of each of these classes will communicate directly with their classmates. The Ladies Entertainment Committee has arranged an enjoyable program for the visiting ladies.

The Annual Alumni Banquet will be held on the last evening of the celebration and will be the usual gala affair, with a fine dinner, brief greetings of welcome, awarding of honors and prizes, followed by a snappy floor show and dancing.

Arrange now to visit Baltimore on Thursday and Friday, June 5 and 6; your friends will be there looking for you.

The Faculty takes pleasure in announcing the opening of the new addition to the Dental Building in October, 1940. This wing includes the departments of Diagnosis, Oral Surgery, and Radiodontia. Come and inspect these newly located departments.

If you have not yet paid your annual dues of \$3.00, please forward them to the Treasurer, Dr. Howard Van Natta, Medical Arts Building, Baltimore. There is a form for your convenience elsewhere in the JOURNAL.

Remember the dates for your return to Baltimore—June 5 and 6. Read your program and come and enjoy it with your fellow Alumni.

BRICE M. DORSEY, *President*
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Baltimore College of Dental Surgery
Dental School, University of Maryland

THE BALTIMORE COLLEGE OF DENTAL SURGERY
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announce

THE ACTIVITIES

for

THE ALUMNI AND THE GRADUATING CLASS

COMMENCEMENT WEEK

at

BALTIMORE

June 4, 5, 6 and 7, 1941



COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

at

COLLEGE PARK

June 7—11.00 a. m.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM AND ENTERTAINMENT

(All lectures will be held in the Dental School Building)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE FOURTH

7:00 p.m.—

OMICRON KAPPA UPSILON FRATERNITY (PHI CHAPTER)

BANQUET AND INITIATION

Lord Baltimore Hotel

THURSDAY, JUNE FIFTH

9:00 a.m.—

SENIOR PRIZE CONTEST

COHESIVE GOLD FILLING (OPERATIVE CLINIC)

The Dr. Isaac H. Davis Memorial Medal

(Contributed by Dr. Leonard I. Davis)

FULL MOUTH OPERATIVE RESTORATION (OPERATIVE CLINIC)

The Dr. Albert S. Loewenson Memorial Medal

(Contributed by Mrs. Albert S. Loewenson)

PRACTICAL SET OF FULL UPPER AND LOWER DENTURES (PROSTHETIC CLINIC)

The Dr. Alex. H. Paterson Memorial Medal

(Contributed by the Paterson family)

12:30 p.m.—

SENIOR CLASS ASSEMBLY

Room 37

There will be brief addresses by Dr. Brice M. Dorsey, President of the National Alumni Association, Mr. John W. Toffic, President of the Senior Class and Dr. J. Ben Robinson, Dean of the School.

1:30 p.m.—

GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Annual Golf Tournament of the National Alumni Association will be held at the Rolling Road Golf Club.

A valuable cup will be awarded to the person winning the championship and will remain in his possession one year, after which it shall be returned to the Chairman of the Golf Committee. The cup will become the permanent property of whoever wins the tournament three times. Luncheon will be served at the Club House for a minimum fee for those desiring it; also a greens fee will be charged. (Bring your official club handicap card.) All prizes will be awarded at the annual business meeting on Friday, June 6, at 12 o'clock.

Cup Winners

- 1936—Dr. Louis Rossmann, '15
 1937—Dr. Stuart G. Buppert, '36
 1938—Dr. George E. Hardy, '26
 1939—Dr. Kyrle W. Preis, '28
 1940—Dr. Edward R. Stinebert, '39

TRAPSHOOTING

There will be a trapshooting contest at the Oriole Gun Club for members of the Alumni Association. Prizes will be awarded at the annual business meeting on Friday, June 6, at 12 o'clock.

2:00 p.m.—

LADIES ENTERTAINMENT

There will be entertainment for the visiting ladies of the Alumni, programs for which will be available at the Registration Desk of the Dental School

7:00 p.m.—

REUNION DINNERS FOR CLASSES OF

1901	1921
1906	1926
1911	1931
1916	1936

Each class arranges its dinner and place of meeting.

9:00 p.m.—

SENIOR CLASS DANCE

Chesapeake Club
 Baltimore Trust Building

Invitations are limited to the Faculty members and their wives and the members of the Senior Class and their ladies.

FRIDAY, JUNE SIXTH

LECTURES WILL START *PROMPTLY*

Room 37

10:00 a.m.—

Dr. Edward A. Kitlowski, Baltimore, Md.
 ORAL PLASTIC PROBLEMS

Room 37

11:00 a.m.—

Dr. Howard J. Newton, Washington, D. C.
 SURGICAL ASPECTS OF IMMEDIATE RESTORATIONS UNDER NITROUS OXIDE
 AND OXYGEN ANESTHESIA

Room 37

12:00

Annual business meeting of the National Alumni Association

1:15 p.m.—

LUNCHEON

The judges of the contests, the members of the Senior Class and the visiting Alumni will be guests of the Faculty at luncheon, University Hospital Dining-Hall.

2:30 p.m.—

Room 37

Dr. Karl Grempler, Baltimore, Md.

AMALGAM RESTORATIONS

3:30 p.m.—

Presentation of Clinic and Cases by the Department of Oral Surgery, Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, Dental School, University of Maryland.

DR. CHARLES REIFSCHNIEDER

DR. W. K. WALLER

DR. HERBERT REIFSCHNIEDER

DR. GRANT WARD

DR. HARRY ROBINSON

DR. JAMES H. WILKINSON

7:00 p.m.—

ALUMNI BANQUET AND DANCE

Lord Baltimore Hotel

Calvert Room

The banquet promises an interesting and pleasant occasion where good fellowship will reign. Dancing will follow. The graduating class will be the guests of the Faculty. The banquet tickets are \$2.50 per person. Reservations may be obtained from Dr. Howard Van Natta, Treasurer, Medical Arts Building, Baltimore, Maryland. Wives and friends are invited.

SATURDAY, JUNE SEVENTH

11:00 a.m.—

Commencement Exercises at College Park

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The Dr. Isaac H. Davis Memorial Medal

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The Dr. Albert S. Loewenson Memorial Medal

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PRACTICAL PROSTHESIS

The Dr. Alex. H. Paterson Memorial Medal

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J. WILLIAM SMITH.....	1904-1913

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(B. C. D. S. and U. of Md. Merged 1923)

TIMOTHY O. HEATWOLE.....	1923-1924
J. BEN ROBINSON.....	1924-Present

ALUMNI NEWS

NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

THE committees in charge of arrangements for the Commencement Activities have worked hard to prepare a program which will be enjoyed by all, and they are looking forward to the attendance of a large number of Alumni at the various features of the program.

Dr. Grayson W. Gaver, the general chairman, has arranged an outstanding series of scientific lectures, while Dr. Kyrle W. Preis and Dr. Conrad L. Inman have made preparations for the Annual Golf Tournament and the first Annual Trapshooting Event. Prizes will be awarded for both of these events at the annual business meeting on Friday, June 6, at twelve o'clock. Dr. Adam Bock, as usual, has arranged the banquet, which should be more enjoyable this year than ever.

Make all plans now to attend this meeting. Your fellow alumni and friends will be here with greetings. You will be well repaid in true enjoyment and pleasure.

MEMBERSHIP

The National Alumni Association of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, Dental School, University of Maryland has devoted itself for many years to the development of all phases of professional activity and to the dissemination of the good name and good will of the "Oldest Dental College in the World."

The Association embraces a large number of loyal alumni whose interest in the affairs of the School is evidenced by their attendance at Class Reunions and Commencement activities, and by their interest in the publication of the

JOURNAL. These are the only means by which graduates can continue their relations with their Alma Mater, and by becoming members of the Alumni Association they immediately become part of the School's most important component.

At this period of national stress, it is particularly important for our membership to be augmented by the graduates, so that, whenever necessary, we can present a unified group to support our professional and civil interests.

The annual dues of \$3.00 which includes the subscription to the JOURNAL may be paid to our Treasurer, Dr. Howard Van Natta, Medical Arts Building, Baltimore, Maryland.

Join now—we welcome you.

ALBERT C. ESKIN, '31,
Chairman, Membership Committee.

CLASS REUNIONS

The National Alumni Association of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, University of Maryland, will sponsor reunions for the following classes:

- 1901—Jesse S. Myers, Medical Arts Building, Baltimore
- 1906—L. D. Samuel, 2515 Garrison Avenue, Baltimore
- 1906—August P. Crist, 2114 Jefferson Street, Baltimore
- 1911—Lowell P. Henneberger, Baltimore Life Building, Baltimore
- 1911—R. G. Chaney, Annapolis, Maryland
- 1916—Albert Z. Aldridge, 3040 West North Avenue, Baltimore
- 1916—Dwinton N. Landis, 14 East Mt. Vernon Place, Baltimore
- 1921—A. H. Berman, 1445 North Gay Street, Baltimore

1921—W. Buckey Clemson, Medical Arts Building, Baltimore

1926—Harry Levin, 3429 Park Heights Avenue, Baltimore

1931—Albert C. Eskin, 1911 Eutaw Place, Baltimore

1931—C. E. Saunders, 704 Florence Trust Building, Florence, South Carolina

1936—Vernon D. Kaufman, 4019 Wilkins Avenue, Baltimore

In the event that you receive no communication concerning these activities, you may contact the chairman of your class for information.

WILLIAM E. HAHN,
General Chairman, Class Reunions.

O. H. GAVER DENTAL SEMINAR

The first program meeting of this group was held on Tuesday, March 18 at the School. R. E. Spoon '43 presented a paper on "Concerning the Vitality of Enamel." On April 1 H. S. Levy '43 presented a paper on "Lymphatics in the Dental Tissues."

All program meetings are open to the public.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

Our annual alumni golf tournament will be played this year on Thursday, June, 5 at Rolling Road Country Club, Catonsville.

Only members of the Alumni Association are eligible for the handsome silver prizes, which will be distributed at the alumni business meeting.

No matter how discouragingly you play, you will be among sympathetic friends. Playing will start at 1 o'clock and we suggest you lunch at the club and arrange your game there.

TRAPSHOOTING

On the afternoon of Thursday, June 5, 1941, the first annual trapshooting

meet will be held at the Oriole Gun Club, Frederick Road, Baltimore. All alumni are invited to participate.

The committee, under the direction of Dr. Conrad L. Inman, is arranging for a very enjoyable afternoon. Charges will be one dollar and thirty-five cents per round, and the prizes will be awarded at the annual business meeting, Friday noon, June 6. If you are interested in shooting, be sure to be present.

FRATERNITIES AND SOCIETIES

OMICRON KAPPA UPSILON

The annual business meeting of Phi Chapter, Omicron Kappa Upsilon Fraternity was held in the Conference Room of the Library of the School of Dentistry on March 26, 1941. The program included the election of officers; the selection of the honorary member for the year 1941; the nomination of Faculty and Alumni members; and the reports of all committees.

The Annual Banquet and Convocation will be held at the Lord Baltimore Hotel on Wednesday, June 4, 1941, at 7:00 P.M. All members are cordially invited.

SIGMA XI

The members of Sigma Xi are looking forward to the Spring meeting to be held at College Park in May. The College Park members will be the hosts and will select a speaker for the meeting. The Sigma Xi members representing the Dental School are Doctors McCrea and Dobbs.

SIGMA EPSILON DELTA ALUMNI

Under the able guidance of Master Henry Rostov the chapter has enjoyed a very fruitful year. The activities were many and varied. Scientifically the chapter had the pleasure of clinics by Dr. Nuttall and Dr. Britowich, and

a motion picture on Neal's technique. During the month of March the chapter was host to the rest of the fraternity for our annual convention, which consisted of an enjoyable social section and a very interesting scientific section. The clinicians were Dr. Kabnick, of New York, on restoring the mouth to complete function; and Dr. Reisner, on the temporomandibular articulation.

On Thanksgiving Eve a party was held at the fraternity house for the grads and their wives. The women's auxiliary was responsible for the very effective arrangements.

We are looking forward to a splendid year under our new master, "Ike" Koppel, and plans have already been made for various clinics and for a Home Talent Night.

PSI OMEGA ALUMNI

The Oriole Alumni Chapter of Psi Omega sustained a grave loss in the passing away of Alexander H. Paterson. He was always a loyal and active participant in all the work of the chapter.

Plans are being formulated for the celebration in 1942 of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the founding of the fraternity which grew from our own Alpha Chapter in Baltimore, the cradle of professional dentistry. We are looking forward to honoring two of the surviving charter members: Luther Parsons and J. G. Schmetzer. Grand Master Corey of Oriole Alumni Chapter requests all Psi Omegas to make plans for coming back to the mother chapter for this celebration in 1942. Details of the celebration will be announced at a later date.

Dean J. Ben Robinson, who is Supreme Grand Master of Psi Omega, will preside at the Grand Chapter meeting in Chicago April 14 at which our chapter will be ably represented by Paul Deems.

Oriole Alumni Chapter has held

monthly luncheons at "The House," 1111 St. Paul St., at 12:30 on the Tuesday following the Baltimore City Dental Society meetings, at which interesting speakers have given us timely but brief talks. In February the Tuesday luncheon was replaced by a smoker on Monday evening immediately after the City Society meeting.

THE WOMEN OF PSI OMEGA

The Women of Psi Omega started their fall activities in October with the annual luncheon and bridge given for the wives of Psi Omegas. It was a great success as we welcomed old friends and made many new ones. In November, a dance was held at the Longfellow Club, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

The boys of the active chapter and the alumni and their wives were guests at a buffet supper given in December to open the holiday season.

To wind up the winter season, the ladies sponsored a performance of "Mr. Pepys," presented by the Vagabonds; there was an overflow audience.

XI PSI PHI ALUMNI

President: Dr. Kyrle W. Preis.

Vice-president: Dr. John M. Hyson.

Secretary-treasurer: Dr. Filbert L. Moore.

Editor: Dr. Hugh T. Hicks.

XI PSI PHI WOMEN'S CLUB

The Club has enjoyed a year of activity and progress due largely to the interest of the members and the convenience of the House, which has been operated so efficiently by Mrs. Julia Brownell.

The regular meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month. Luncheon is served at the House and the meeting follows. A number of bridge parties have been held through the winter,

all of which were well attended and most enjoyable. Arrangements are now being made for the annual spring dance which will bring to a close the season's active functions.

ALPHA OMEGA ALUMNI

During this year Alpha Omega in Baltimore has been a club of national activity. On December 29, 30 and 31, 1940, the Thirty-Third Annual Alpha Omega Convention was held at the Belvedere Hotel. The Convention was a glorious success and a great tribute to our local chapter. Frater Meyer Egg-natz, as Marshal, was the guiding influence in the Convention's success, and he has been richly rewarded by his election to the post of Chancellor-elect of the national body.

The Alpha Omega Achievement Medal Award was presented last year to Brigadier General Leigh Fairbank. The award, humbly given and graciously received, leaves us proud indeed.

Local activity moves on unabated and with a vigor honestly unexpected following the Convention. The larger our group grows, the more compact and integrated it becomes. The spirit and activity of our organization are sources of pride and pleasure to every one of us.

THE WOMEN OF ALPHA OMEGA

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Alpha Omega Dental Fraternity has been quite busy during the past year planning the women's affairs for the Fraternity's Convention which was held here from December 29 through January 1.

Luncheons, a tea and fashion shows and a theatre party were the affairs planned for the convention.

In an effort to raise the funds for these affairs, a rummage sale and a raffle were held last spring, both being very successful.

A bowling team was recently formed, meeting every Friday afternoon.

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR DENTAL RESEARCH

The Spring Meeting was held March 15 and 16 in the Jefferson Hotel, St. Louis, Missouri.

The following faculty members represented the Dental School: Doctors J. Ben Robinson, Harry B. McCarthy and Harry E. Latcham.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF DENTAL SCHOOLS

The Association met in St. Louis on March 17 and 18. The meeting was attended by Doctors Harry B. McCarthy, Harry E. Latcham and J. Ben Robinson.

Doctor Robinson presented a paper before the group on "Medico-Dental Relationships in Dental Education."

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND BIOLOGICAL SOCIETY

The program meetings have been exceptionally fine this year, and the Society is looking forward to a joint meeting with Sigma Xi to be held in May at College Park.

Dr. William Hahn, representative of the Dental School, presented a research paper at the February meeting.

PERSONALS

Dr. Alex. L. Boro '38 married Ruth Weinstein on January 1, 1941.

Dr. Simon G. Markos '37 married Roberta Estelle Boothby on January 5, 1941.

Dr. John P. Mahoney '35 married Mildred Louise Ford on February 13, 1941.

Milton Snell Wilkinson, Sophomore Class, married Kathleen Eleanor Frances Howell on January 4, 1941.

Dorsey R. Tipton '39 married Helen N. Hyle on February 22, 1941.

John H. Wooden, Jr. '39 married Catherine V. Humm on February 28, 1941.

Julian Barnet Bookstaver '40 married Harriet Ruth Kaufman on March 22, 1941.

OBITUARY

Shelly Frontis (B. C. D. S. 1899) of Mooresville, North Carolina, died January 31, 1941.

Alexander H. Paterson (University of Maryland 1911) of Baltimore, died February 4, 1941.

Frank J. O'Donnell (B. M. C. 1900)

of Providence, Rhode Island, died February 7, 1941.

Francis J. Doherty (U. of Md. 1926) of Worcester, Mass., died January 8, 1941.

John H. Wheeler (B. C. D. S. 1895) of Greensboro, North Carolina, died February 12, 1941.

Langdon E. Wallace (B. C. D. S. 1915) of Charleston, West Virginia, died January 26, 1941.

Waverly J. Rockey (B. M. C. 1906) of Elmira, New York, died March 11, 1940.

Harry C. King (U. of Md. 1913) of Baltimore, died March 15, 1941.

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OF THE BALTIMORE COLLEGE OF DENTAL SURGERY

Dental School, University of Maryland
Lombard and Greene Sts., Baltimore, Maryland

I will attend the Alumni meeting. Yes () No ()

Please reserve for me _____ tickets for the Alumni Banquet and Dance,
June 6.

I ^{will}_{will not} play golf. My handicap is ()

I ^{will}_{will not} attend trap shooting.

My wife will accompany me. Yes () No ()

Signed _____

Year of Graduation
()

Address: _____

In Memoriam

ON FEBRUARY 4, 1941, dentistry lost one of its most important figures with the demise of Dr. Alexander Horn Paterson, D.D.S., F.A.C.D. Dr. Paterson was a prominent contributor to modern prosthetic dentistry, of which subject he was professor at the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, Dental School, University of Maryland. He was not only famous for his accomplishments in dental progress and education but renowned as a specialist in prosthesis and as an important contributor to dental literature.

Dr. Paterson, one of twelve children of Henry and Elizabeth Hoag Paterson, was born in Arnot, Tioga county, Pennsylvania, on May 11, 1878. Both of his parents were natives of Cumbernauld, Scotland, his father having followed merchandising since his emigration to America. Dr. Paterson received his elementary education in the public schools of his native town; and his secondary training at Starkey Seminary, Lakemont, New York. In order to secure means for entering college he worked for several years at various occupations, such as coal-mining and meat-cutting. He received his professional education in the Dental Department of the University of Maryland; and when he was graduated in 1911, every scholastic honor which the School offered was conferred upon him. Immediately after graduation, he was appointed Demonstrator in Prosthetic Dentistry. Dr. Paterson followed the advice of Dr. Timothy O. Heatwole, who had been his dean, and prepared himself thoroughly in the field of dental prosthesis.

Throughout his professional life, Dr. Paterson devoted the greater part of his time and inexhaustible energy to perfecting the techniques which were in existence, and in developing newer, more scientific, advancements in denture prosthesis. As a result, he became one of the leading prosthodontists in the world. In addition to his teaching at the dental school, he presented lectures and clinics in every Eastern and Southern state and many Mid-Western and Western states in this country, as well as in several European countries. His untiring study and research, his profound accomplishments, and his earnest teachings have greatly influenced the development of more adequate and scientific denture service in the United States and Europe.

As a teacher, Dr. Paterson's earnestness and sincere love for his subject greatly influenced his pupils to a more thorough appreciation of prosthetic denture service. It was said by one of his students, that no matter how engrossed he became in the work at hand, he invariably found time to assist his students or colleagues in any subject pertaining to his field. His persistence in teaching others the principles he had acquired during past years of experience was surpassed only by the masterful technique in which he presented them.

Dr. Paterson was a member of the American Dental Association, Baltimore City Dental Society, Maryland State Dental Association, Psi Omega Fraternity and Omicron Kappa Upsilon Fraternity. He was chairman of the Historical Exhibits Committee of the Dental Centenary Celebration held in Baltimore during March, 1940. He made a notable contribution in planning and supervising the building of the Historical Court, the central feature of the exhibits.

He belonged to Oriental Lodge, Number 158, A. F. and A. M.; Baltimore Chapter, R.A.M.; Beauseant Commandary 8, K.T.; A.A.O.N.M.S. He was also an elder in the Second Presbyterian Church in Baltimore, and a Trustee of the Lakemont Academy, Lakemont, New York. In politics, he maintained an independent attitude; he supported measures and men, rather than party. Among his hobbies were motoring, golf, fishing, and other outdoor sports.

On June 2, 1913, Dr. Paterson married Miss Caroline Elizabeth Haas, a native of Baltimore. He is survived by his widow, his four daughters, four sisters and three brothers.

Although deprived of many educational opportunities during early life, Dr. Paterson had the perseverance to struggle for the training he needed to prepare himself for his profession. However, he was not content merely to practice dentistry as it was; he had the courage and the unselfish desire to improve the dental service which was being offered to patients. After realizing his proficiency in prosthetics, he devoted his life to aiding the progress in that field and to educating the profession so that it could better serve the public. Dr. Paterson's contributions to dentistry made him a true benefactor of his fellow men.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

SECOND PREDENTAL CLASS

BERNY GORDON has become such an ace with the cue that he now finds it difficult to get anyone to compete against him. One can still find Gaver in the library at 9:00 A.M. any Thursday morning. The better acquainted we become with Wilson, the more we realize what a lady-killer he is. Herb Flitton and Joe Pitruzzella are having a contest to see who can raise the most complete moustache. It must be the English in Bosworth which enables him to get such high grades in the subject. The laboratory trio—Flitton, Conner and O'Hearn. Smith is always on the down-beat. Zemel's blue eyes really get 'em. Quillin is the quietest fellow in the class. Walker is still giggling. Pfeifer and Hennesey are the "A" men in the French class. Clement has his troubles with his pigeons. Louis Gare can cover 110 miles in 60 minutes flat. Hoffman finishes his exams before anyone else. Yavner brought his little green bag all the way from Boston to establish atmosphere. One can always expect Levickas to have a handful of nickels. Larry Olsen is the fellow who taught Wilson all his tricks.

FRESHMAN CLASS

Although still slightly fatigued by the mid-year examinations the class of '44 still manages to plod along. Our enthusiasm has not been lessened to any great degree, but our physical reserve is nearing depletion. Besides dodging infection in the bacteriology lab, burns in the biochemistry lab and "gas" in the other departments, most of us have already undergone partial asphyxiation while grinding teeth down. Nothing

extraordinary has occurred this year unless we consider the fact that Morton Hollander has plunged to the depths of mediocrity by receiving his first "middle" in Anatomy. Thus Carl T. Adams and E. Leonard Peven are left alone at the top of the Anatomy list.

The annual Freshman Dance was held at the Chesapeake Club; and it is claimed by the cognoscenti (the boys who crashed the affair) that a better time could hardly be had. Perhaps this characterization is due to the fine music of Ted Hart and his orchestra. It isn't an extremely rare occurrence at school to have a classmate as an orchestra leader for a class dance, but it is not usual for him to be as accomplished a fellow as Ted.

SOPHOMORE CLASS

The sophomores are winding up the year with a fervent hope for the passing of the Murray Bill, which will effect a blanket deferment for dental students until they have completed their course of study. Concern is mounting on this issue, for over fifty per cent of the class have received their draft papers.

Milton Snell Wilkinson was the first to do something about it by diving into the realm of connubial bliss. Jack Kushner became so concerned that he even had wedding announcements printed and showed them to the class—on April Fool. Irving "Cute" Cierler couldn't pin his fraternity pin on Helen's sweater fast enough; and although Daniel Shmuner had honorable intentions, his heart throb decided she couldn't wait and married some other draftee to be. Alfred Martino, so that there could be no mistake, brought his lady to class and

proved, habeas corpus, that the draft couldn't get him. Willy Rubin, meanwhile, moved to more peaceful surroundings; while Sylvan Shane, who continues to be a conscientious objector, is able to maintain freedom from any entangling alliances with the weaker sex.

Yes, the sophomore class had a dance. Not only did the sophomores think it was the best dance of the year, but also the freshmen, juniors, and seniors. A vote of thanks is in order for Sucoll, Spoon, Klein, and Russell for their efforts in making the dance a success.

So with visions of white gowns, and clean finger nails, and the clinic floor, and Dr. Latcham, and—oh, yes—, patients, the sophomore class terminates a successful year of pleasant work.

JUNIOR CLASS

The class held its banquet and dance on March 29 in the Assembly Room of the Hotel Belvedere. The toastmaster for the banquet was Dr. Latcham. His humor was supplemented by that of Drs. Deems, Dobbs, Roh, Browning, McCrea and Mr. Foley in their short but interesting talks. After an excellent meal the class adjourned to get their dates for the dance which followed. Music was provided by Tommy Rogers and his orchestra.

It may now be said for a certainty that Powell and Cocarro have added their names to our growing list of spouses. Also Hans Wiese announced the addition of another baby girl to his family of four. In addition the engagement of Miss Toubman to a certain young veterinarian also bears mentioning.

THE FRATERNITIES

SIGMA EPSILON DELTA, EPSILON CHAPTER

Fraternal activity began in an auspicious manner during the second semes-

ter with S.E.D.'s annual Induction Dance at the Belvedere Hotel on March 1. Many Epsilon alumni returned for this occasion, showing the high regard which these fraters have for our gatherings.

The high scholastic achievement of S.E.D. has been continued through the past year and is largely due to the cooperation and brotherhood which our fraternity has enjoyed. Our lecture series was ably continued by Dr. James E. Pyott, who spoke on the "Use of Acrylic Resins as Radium Applicators." Following this, an informal discussion was held. Beer and pretzels served to make the evening complete.

Socially our Saturday night dances are still going in full swing. These weekly get-togethers serve to keep the boys in good spirits and help them to forget the cares of the week. We hope they shall continue to be as successful in the future as they have been in the past.

Athletically we have continued to hold our place. Three of our fraters, Red Stoopack, Stan Entelis, and Morty Samet, forgot their dentistry long enough to lead the "Y" to the championship in the Baltimore Basketball League.

It is with much regret that Epsilon bids farewell to its departing seniors. As a token of appreciation for the services rendered by these men, each will be presented with a fraternity key at the Farewell Dinner and Dance to be held at the Belvedere Hotel on May 31.

PSI OMEGA, ALPHA CHAPTER

This year the activities of Psi Omega have included interesting lectures and demonstrations by outstanding men in the dental field as an aid to the young graduate as well as to the undergraduate. Many helpful ideas were derived from a talk on office management by Dr. A. V. Purvinton of the Harvard Dental School.

During the month of February the

chapter succeeded in pledging a large and representative group from the freshman class. At a smoker to which all prospects were invited, interesting and humorous orations were delivered by Dean Robinson, Dr. Deems, our congenial deputy councilor, and Dr. McCarthy. Additional entertainment was provided by a company from the Club Charles. Following the entertainment the assembly retired to the dining-room, where a buffet lunch was served.

The big event of the semester was, of course, the Spring formal dance and banquet which followed the Spring initiation. It was held at the Five Oaks and from every standpoint was a complete success due to the increased membership as well as to the ideal location. It can truthfully be said to be one event which will never be forgotten by anyone who attended. The music was extremely delightful, the food superb, and the ladies' favors beautiful indeed.

XI PSI PHI, ETA CHAPTER

On February 14 a smoker was held for the prospective members at the House on North Bolton Street. As the members and guests entered the House they were given supplies of stage money, which they used later to place bets on a roulette wheel. At the end of the evening prizes were given to those holding the highest stakes. Delicious refreshments were served during the session. Judging by the large attendance despite inclement weather, the affair was definitely a successful function.

At the initiation held April 4 the following new members were introduced into the fraternity: Caryl Adams, Melvin Beaumont, Fred Beerbower, Bill Landy, Arthur Lepine, and Louis Murzin.

ALPHA OMEGA, ZETA MU CHAPTER

Among the social functions which were held during the second semester were dances held February 1 and March 15, the latter affair arranged by the pledges.

At the induction on March 20, twelve men were admitted to the organization. On March 11 six new pledges were introduced.

On March 6 a talk was given by Dr. Baer in which he discussed many items of dental interest. Dr. Staub of the U. S. Army gave his views concerning fractures, gunshot wounds, etc., to the keen interest of all. A paper was also given by Dr. Lyons of Richmond concerning periclasia. All speeches were instructive as well as interesting.

Through the untiring efforts of all, the fraternity is pleased to announce the acquisition of a new lathe for the House lab.

The Spring dance will be on May 31 at the Chesapeake Club and promises to be the occasion of the fraternity year.

GORGAS ODONTOLOGICAL SOCIETY

At a meeting held during the month of February it was decided to hold a formal banquet dance in the main ballroom of the Hotel Belvedere on April 5. The dinner was one of the best ever enjoyed by those who attended. A few after-dinner speeches were made, bringing the dinner to a close at 9:30. At 10 dancing commenced and everyone gave every indication of thoroughly enjoying himself as he danced to the delightful strains of the "Men About Towne" until two o'clock in the morning. Success of the affair was in large part due to the expert management of the dance committee consisting of Haggerty, Stone, Lawrence, and DeScherer.

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THE Centennial year of 1940 afforded dentistry its greatest opportunity to inform the American people concerning the history and the progress of the profession. Organized dentistry, from the national body down through the small local groups, accomplished excellent publicity by the use of the radio, the printed word, and public lectures. However, the best medium for dignified, lasting, and effective publicity was either ignored or neglected. If our country can issue stamps to commemorate sports, military engagements, and explorations, certainly dentistry is justified in requesting a stamp to commemorate the founding of professional dentistry, the only profession which can claim the United States as its birthplace. Surely if stamps are issued in tribute to generals, writers, inventors, and explorers, dentistry should expect and move vigorously to secure such national tribute for its great founders, Horace Hayden and Chapin Harris.

During 1940 our government issued stamps in honor of Dr. Crawford W. Long and Dr. Walter Reed. Their accomplishments merit such honor. But the Long and the Reed stamps emphasize the previous record of the United States postal officials in neglecting both the accomplishments of science and the men of science.

In January a prominent graduate of the B. C. D. S., practicing in Baltimore, had the interesting experience of extracting an infected tooth from the mouth of Clark Gable. From a friend of mine who covered the widely publicized episode for a local paper, I received the information that Mr. Gable was very pleased with

the work of his capable exodontist, but seemed particularly impressed by the "high-class beard" worn by that distinguished gentleman.

In *As I Was Going Down Sackville Street*, Oliver Gogarty, the famous Irish surgeon and author, tells about a dentist whom he knew on the Western Front during the first World War. This dentist had acquired such a tremor in his hand when at the Front that he could no longer draw teeth; but he still could draw, as he complained, the enemy's fire.

To you who are connoisseurs (in books) of the universal and sempiternal art of murder, I suggest John Kobler's recently published *Some Like It Gory*. From the archives of crime Kobler has collected a fine set of homicides. You will like particularly the case of the dentist who murdered his father-in-law through the ingenious use of prussic acid in filling material.

Not many years from now much will be written about the effect of teeth on the course of history. Dental research will be given great impetus by the many studies which learned men, especially dental and medical investigators, will contribute on that subject. When the world is made aware of the facts about the poison poured into the system of Hitler from infected teeth, the profession will profit from a greatly increased public and individual interest in dental problems.

One of my hobbies is the collecting of poems about dentistry. Recently I have added to my collection two humorous poems by contemporary American versi-

fiers. I recommend that you read these poems and also that you show them to your patients: "The Transcendental Dentist" (David McCord: *Bay Window Ballads*) and "This Is Going to Hurt Just a Bit" (Ogden Nash: *The Face is Familiar*).

A comparatively inexpensive but fascinating hobby is the collecting of almanacs. Most dealers in books have several on their shelves and are willing to sell them at a low price because of the general lack of interest in the purchase of these old family standbys. Many of

the almanacs I have collected, contain interesting dental material. *General Taylor's Old Rough and Ready Almanac 1847*, published in Lancaster, Pa., includes among its August items a cure for the toothache (when not arising from Rheumatism).—Take two parts of powdered alum, and seven parts of nitric aether. One or two grains are to be inserted in the cavity of the tooth, and repeated whenever the pain returns; in a short time the pain will cease to return, and the chemical action which produces the *caries* (decay of the bone) will cease.

HARRISON HAYDEN.

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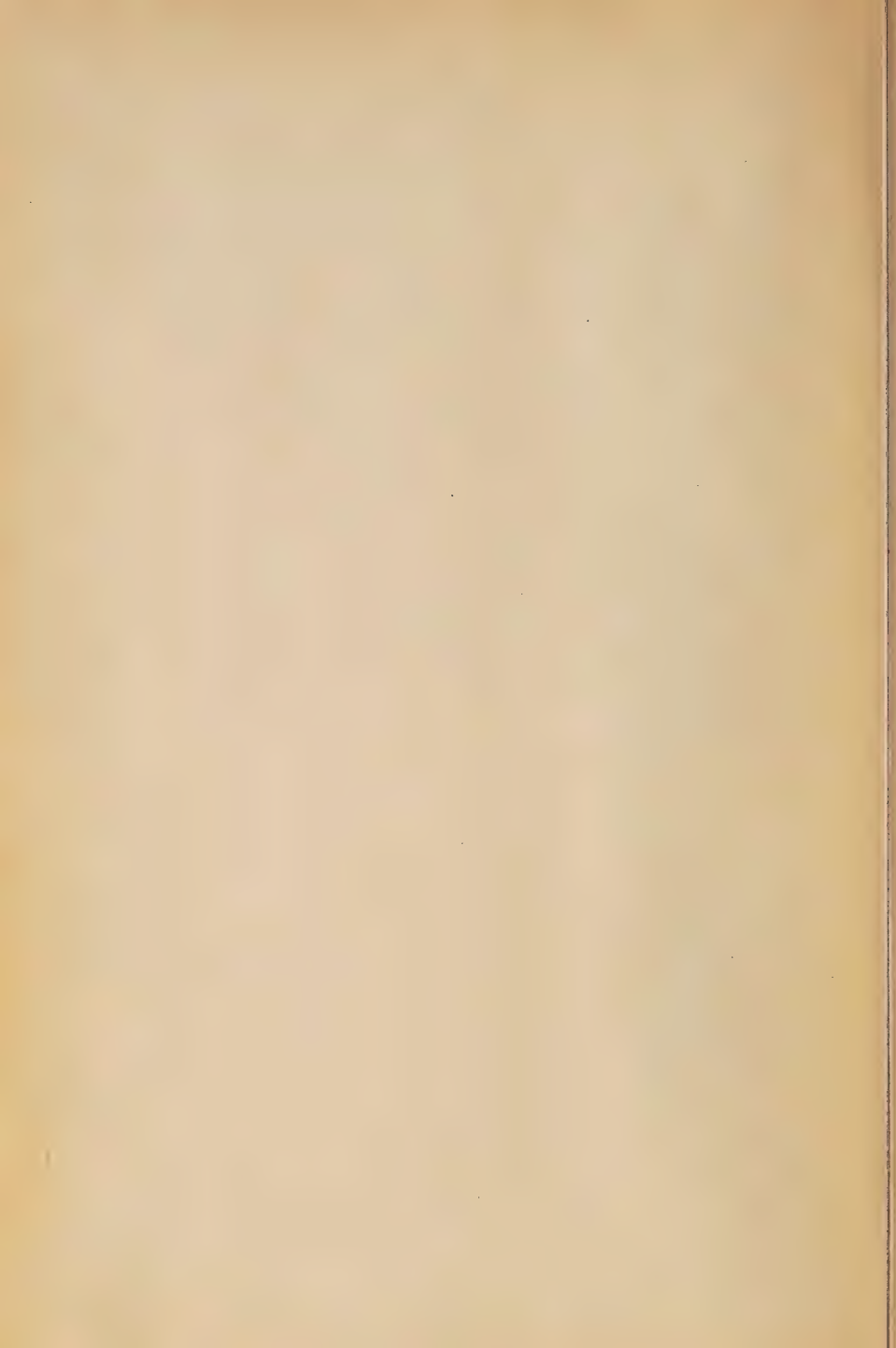
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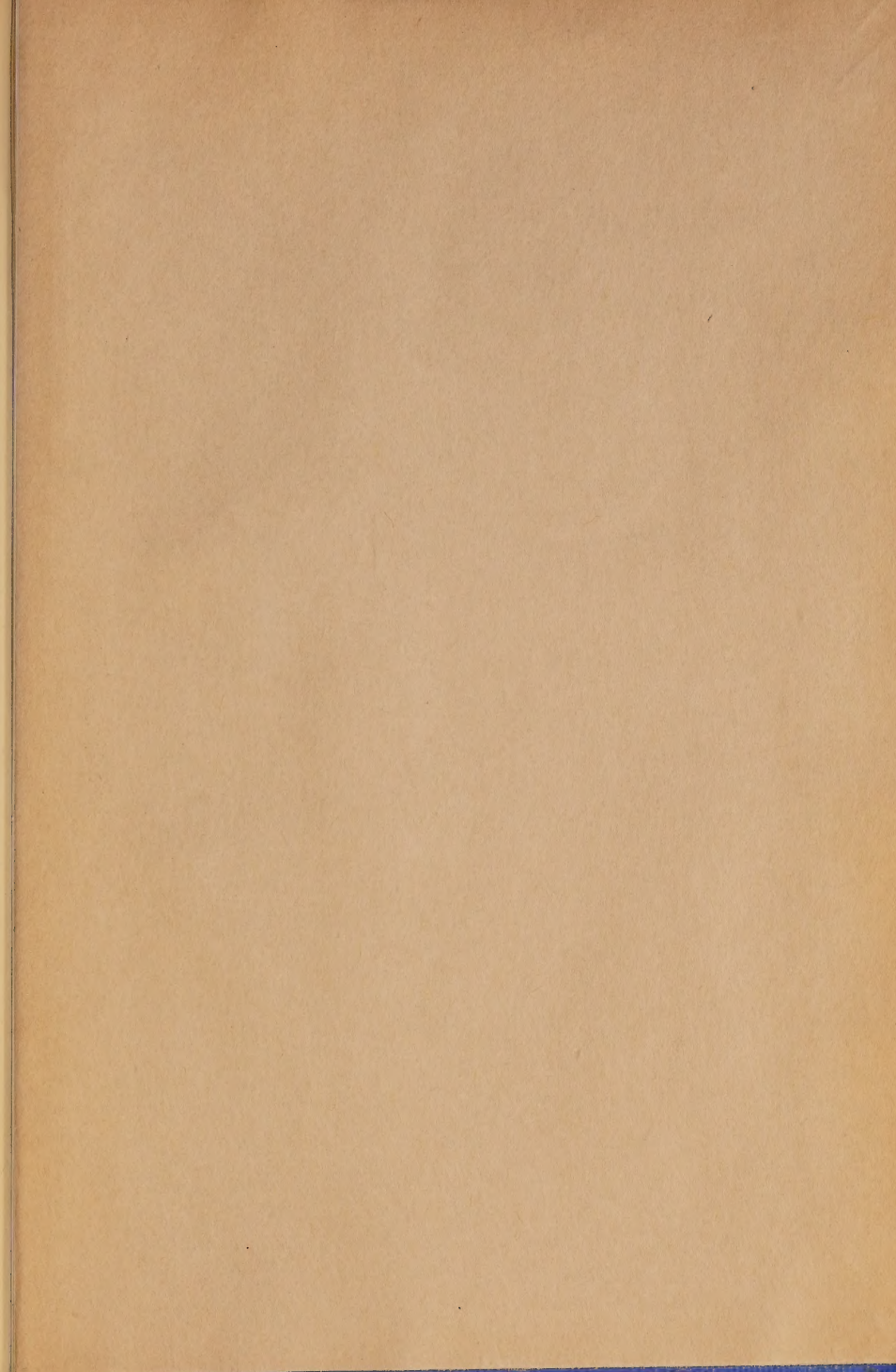
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